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SUBJECT: BUSINESSMAN AND POLICEMAN DIE IN RENEWED VIOLENCE

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1. LONDONDERRY BUSINESSMAN SHOT AND KILLED EVENING FEBRUARY 23 IN SAME PATTERN ASSASSINATION JEFFREY AGATE EARLY IN MONTH. KILLERS WAITED FOR VICTIM OUTSIDE HIS HOME WHICH LOCATED ADJACENT TO USNAVCOMMSTA. VICTIM WAS FURNITURE DEALER AND WAS ALSO OFFICER IN ULSTER DEFENSE REGIMENT. HIS BUSINESS PREMISES HAD BEEN TARGET INCENDIARY DEVICE. ASSASSINATION ATTEMPTED MADE AT NORTH BELFAST HOME OF ANOTHER BUSINESSMAN SAME EVENING. SEVERAL SHOTS FIRED AND MAN WOUNDED IN LEG. TWO LATEST BELFAST TARGETS (REFTEL) WERE JEWISH BUT THIS UNLIKELY TO BE AS IMPORTANT FACTOR IN TARGETING AS IS LOCATION OF RESIDENCES WHICH ACCESSIBLE FROM BAWNMORE ESTATE (NEWTONABBAY) OR NEW LODGE AREAS.

2. ONE POLICEMAN KILLED AND TWO OTHERS WOUNDED IN SHOOTING ATTACK AT SECURITY BARRIER TOWN OF LURGAN THIS MORNING. PREVIOUS UNCLASSIFIED

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ATTACKS AT LURGAN HAVE BROUGHT DEMANDS FROM TOWNSPEOPLE THAT ARMY TAKE OVER DUTIES AT SECURITY BARRIERS THERE. SPICER

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